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**PATENT** 

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

In re Application of: : Confirmation No.: 8053

Efstratios Skafidas, et al. : Group Art Unit: 2618

Serial No.: 10/615,208 : Examiner: Minh D. Dao

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## REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Hon. Commissioner for Patents Mail Stop AMENDMENT P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed May 3, 2006, the shortened statutory period for which runs until June 3, 2006.

## INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

There are no Specification Amendments. There are no Drawings Amendments.

Claim Amendments and Remarks are presented on separate sheets as indicated below:

- Amendments to the Claims begin at page 2.
- Remarks begin at page 8.

The Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the application in light of the remarks after entry of the amendments.

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